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FOR: METHOD AND DEVICE FOR	:
DRYING SUBSTRATE	:

**REQUEST FOR CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.323**

Assistant Commissioner of Patents  
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

In response to the July 24, 2008 denial of Request for Certificate of Correction (copy attached), transmitted herewith is a Certificate of Correction for the above-identified Patent to correct the Assignees. The assignment was submitted for recordation as set forth in 37 C.F.R. §3.11 on March 5, 2002 (copy attached), before the May 27, 2008 issuance of this patent..

The petition fee \$100.00 of 37 C.F.R. §1.20(a) was previously submitted on June 27, 2008 for consideration of A Request for Certificate of Correction (a copy of the Electronic Acknowledgement Receipt attached). Thus, no fee is believed to be due for this Request. However, the Commissioner is authorized to charge any fees (under 37 C.F.R. 1.20(a) and/or 1.17(i) associated with this communication or credit any overpayment, if needed, to Deposit Account No. 50-1836.

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## CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION

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INVENTOR(S) : Maeda et al.

It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent are hereby corrected as shown below:

On the cover page change the listing of [73] Assignee from

"[73] Assignee: **Daikin Industries, Ltd., Osaka (JP)**"

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Consideration has been given your request for the issuance of a certificate of correction for the above-identified patent under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.322 and/or 1.323.

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If the request is granted, Certificates of Correction Branch will be notified that a Certificate of Correction may be issued.

See Manual of Patent Examining Procedure, Section 1481.01 (Rev. 3) (Oct. 2005).

*Applicant has not included items A and or C above, accordingly, the request for Certificate of Correction to add or change the assignee data is dismissed.*

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